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Public Works (415) 966-6311

August 4, 1981

Mr. Ed Routhier Electronic Arrays 501 Ellis Street Mountain View, CA 94043

Dear Mr. Routhier:

INDUSTRIAL WASTE VIOLATIONS

The City's Waste Water Division collected a series of samples of industrial waste water discharged from your plant at 501 Ellis Street on June 11 and 12, 1981. The composite of the 24-hourly samples was analyzed and was found to contain excessive amounts of cyanide and fluoride. The results were as follows:

Toxicant	Concentration Found	Maximum Allowable Concentration
Cyanide	2.0 mg/l	1.0 mg/l
Fluoride	10.3 mg/l	5.0 mg/l

In accordance with Section 35.32.3 of the Mountain View City Code, you are hereby notified to cease and desist the discharge into the City's sewer system of industrial wastes in excess of the maximum allowable concentrations. Please take corrective action immediately and advise me of such actions in writing by August 17, 1981. Also, please submit laboratory reports of analyses performed by a laboratory approved by the State Department of Health on at least two samples of plant effluent collected during periods of normal production. If these analyses do not show compliance with the maximum allowable concentrations for cyanide and fluoride, a schedule for compliance with the requirements must also be submitted for approval. If I can be of assistance to you, please call me at (415) 966-6329.

Yery truly yours,

Norman H. Lougee Water Division Engineer

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cc: W. A. Chapman S. T. Hayashi

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